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Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

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| In the Matter of |) | PERENAL COMMUNICATIONS CUMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY | | | |
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| Amendment of Section 73.202(b) |) | MM Docket No. 01-157 | | | |
| Table of Allotments |) | RM - 10178 | | | |
| FM Broadcast Stations |) | | | | |
| (Woodson, Texas) |) | | | | |

To: Chief, Allocations Branch Policy and Rules Division

Mass Media Bureau

COMMENTS

First Broadcasting Company, L.P., Next Media Licensing, Inc., Rawhide Radio, L.L.C., Capstar TX Limited Partnership and Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc. ("Joint Parties"), by their respective counsel, hereby submit their Comments to the *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, DA 01-1670 (rel. July 13, 2001) in the above-captioned proceeding. The Joint Parties' interest in this proceeding stems from the Counterproposal they filed in MM Docket No. 00-148. The comment date in that proceeding was October 10, 2000. One of the proposals in that Counterproposal was the allotment of Channel 298C2 at Seymour, Texas.

The *NPRM* proposed to allot Channel 298A to Woodson, Texas, as the community's first local aural transmission service. The petition to allot Channel 298A was filed by Charles Crawford on May 18, 2001. The attached channel study demonstrates that the proposal for Channel 298A is short spaced to the prior-filed proposal for Channel 298C2 at Seymour by 99.19 km. The Commission may have failed to identify this short spacing when it issued the *NPRM* in this proceeding because it appears that the Commission had not at that time entered all of the proposals in MM Docket 00-148 into its data base. However, on August 3, 2001, the Commission issued a

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Public Notice, Report No. 2500 announcing acceptance of the Seymour rule making proposal. Accordingly, the Commission should rescind the Notice of Proposed Rule Making as late filed to a pending rule making proceeding. See e.g., Comfort, Texas, DA 01-1864 released August 3, 2001.

Accordingly, the Joint Parties urge the Commission to protect their prior filed and cut-off proposal for Channel 298C2 at Seymour, Texas and dismiss the proposal for Channel 298A at Woodson, Texas, expeditiously.

Respectfully submitted

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CH 298C2 Seymour, TX

Add Ch 298A at Woodson, TX conflicts with original counterproposal

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lisa M. Balzer, a secretary in the law firm of Shook, Hardy and Bacon, do hereby certify that I have on this 17th day of August, 2001 caused to be mailed by first class mail, postage prepaid, copies of the foregoing "Comments" to the following:

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